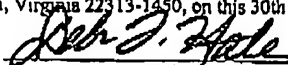


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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.116**

Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action mailed July 31, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.